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March 15, 2004  
Subject: Alton & Argyle  
Project No. BR-10074.56  
PIN 10074.56  
**Bid Amendment No. 1**

Dear Sir/Ms.:

Please make the following change to your bid package:

Add the attached one page "Special Provision Section 107 Time" dated March 12, 2004.

The Department has received the following Request for Information:

**Question:**

Special Provision 203 provides for on-site disposal of lead-based paint on cured concrete. Nothing is mentioned about the flaking paint falling from the existing steel beams. Paint chips are clearly present in the stream and all around the abutments and wing areas. Who will remediate this hazard and how will it be paid for?

**Response:**

*MDOT will perform an evaluation of the project site and provide a baseline report detailing existing lead levels prior to construction. After construction, the soil will be tested again and a comparison evaluation will be performed to determine changes in project site lead levels. The contractor will be required to take directed action if post-construction lead levels are found to be over the base line levels by 50% or greater. Payment for any directed action will be considered incidental to related contract items.*

Consider this change and information prior to submitting your bid on March 17, 2004.

Sincerely,

Scott Bickford

Contracts & Specifications Engineer



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**SPECIAL PROVISION  
SECTION 107  
TIME**

(Supplemental Liquidated Damages for Fabrication Time)

**107.8.1 Fabrication Time.**

The Department has budgeted for the following amounts of continuous fabrication/shop inspection for certain Work components:

<u>Element</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Supplemental LD</u>
1) Pre-stressed Str. Conc. Box Beams	21 calendar days	\$500 per calendar day

The Contractor is responsible for requiring the fabricators, manufacturers and/or suppliers to produce these products for the Work continuously until finished, including any needed actions to correct unacceptable workmanship or materials. If the Department determines that shop inspection beyond these times is required, then the corresponding Supplemental Liquidated Damages will be deducted as they occur from amounts otherwise due the Contractor. The Contractor and fabricator/manufacture will be notified by the Department when these times begin and when the allotted time will expire.